



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Anupama K. Nadkarni,
Joshua Trueheart

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For: Expression of G Protein Coupled Receptors with
Altered Ligand Binding and/or Coupling Properties

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Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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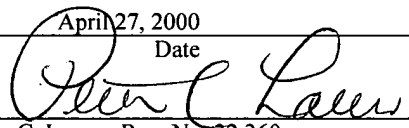
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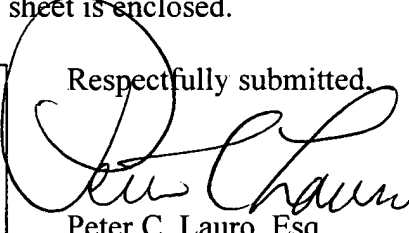
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